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Looks Bad for M. O. Winfrey.

The daily papers of last Thursday, contained a very damaging account of the doings of Prof. M. O. Winfrey, who has been the principal of the public Schools of Middlesboro for several years. He is charged with performing a criminal operation on Miss Nannie Lynn, a twenty year old teacher who was employed in the same school. She charges that Winfrey ruined her at the beginning of the last school year in September, under promise of marriage. He is forty-nine years old and is divorced from his wife, who was a Glasgow girl, and who now lives in Louisville.

Winfrey was indicted in the Bell circuit court last Wednesday. He is out on a \$3,000 bond and claims it is a case of black mail. It is said that excitement is running high in Middlesboro.

Winfrey was born and reared in the extreme eastern portion of Adair county.

Died in Nashville.

Mr. Dudley Williams, an only brother of Mrs. Sarah Bradshaw, of this place, died at his home in Nashville, Tenn., Friday morning at 2 o'clock. Mr. Williams was a native of Cumberland county, and was a gentleman who stood high in the community where he resided. He left one other sister in this county, Mrs. R. P. Breeding, of Breeding, and a sister in Barren county, Mrs. H. K. Turk.

Armed with a requisition, Mr. S. H. Mitchell, Sheriff of Adair county, went to Petersburg, Ill., last week, returning with Frank Renfro, who is charged with seduction. The girl in the case is a daughter of Mr. Dick Burton, and it is our understanding that Renfro will marry her, and eventually proceedings will be astopped. The wedding took place Friday.

Had Entered Her Second Century.

Mrs. Nancy Acre, who was one hundred years old the 10th of last May, died, at her home, two miles from Roy, this county, Wednesday, June 2nd. She is the last of a family of brothers and sisters, two of her brothers living to be over one hundred years each. Mrs. Acre retained her mental faculties up to the time of her death.

Local Papers Take Notice.

Springfield, Lebanon, Campbellsburg and Bardstown papers will please make note of the big pike meeting at Columbia on Friday, the 11th, and urge their respective counties to send strong delegations. The short route is what we are after and quick steps must be taken. The Tennessee counties on the line of the short route have already voted bonds, and they are anxious for the Kentucky counties to act and to act at once. A Chattanooga capitalist proposes to build the bridge across Cumberland river. There has never been such an opportunity for the named Kentucky counties to get a thoroughfare that will be of untold benefit, not only locally, but to a large portion of the State.

Big Pike Meeting.

Nelson, Washington, Marion, Taylor, Adair, Russell and Clinton county citizens are urged to attend a pike meeting in Columbia, Friday, June 11. The object of the meeting is to perfect an organization and make a fight for the Short Route highway from Louisville to Chattanooga. The Tennessee counties along the route have already voted bonds, and it is now up to the Kentucky counties to do their part. This pike, if built, will benefit the counties through which it will pass more than a trunk railway line. Tennessee will be represented at the Columbia meeting, and all counties interested should send an enthusiastic delegation.

A government official was here last week, inspecting for the foot and mouth disease. We are informed that he found the cattle of Adair county in good condition, free from disease.

District Conference.

The District Conference, which was held at Tompkinsville, was a very successful one, a deep interest being manifested from the beginning until the closing. All the charges were represented either by a minister or laymen. The reports showed that Methodism was growing in the district. The Conference was presided over by Rev. W. F. Hogard, and during the session many interesting talks were made and several able sermons. To show that the work of Presiding Elder Hogard was highly appreciated, Conference presented him with a gold watch. The next District Conference will be held at Jamestown in June, 1916. Messrs. Edward Hill, F. C. Land, J. T. Goodman and T. K. Chism were elected delegates, on the first ballot, to attend the annual Conference which will convene in Hartford the last of September.

At the Weed post-office in this country, a case of pellagra has developed. Mr. John Sneed is the victim. He has a wife and five children and they are in a distressing condition. About a year ago Mr. Sneed got one of his legs hurt and since that accident the disease has developed. Dr. U. L. Taylor, the County Health Officer, called to see him Thursday, and he states that there is not a doubt but Mr. Sneed is afflicted with pellagra.

The wool market continues brisk. Mr. Sam Lewis has bought over five thousand pounds in the last ten days.

Official Call for Republican County Convention.

The Republicans of Adair county are hereby called to meet in mass convention at the Court House in Columbia Ky., at one o'clock p. m., on Saturday, June 12, 1915, for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the State convention, called to be held in the city of Lexington, Ky., at 12:30 o'clock p. m., June 15 1915, for the purpose of adopting a platform embodying the principles upon which the Republican party and its nominees will ask the support of the Electors of Kentucky at the November election, 1915. All known Republicans, including former Progressives, who now claim to be Republicans, have a right to participate in this convention. Adair county is entitled to 19 votes in the State convention.

30-31 W. F. Sanders, Chairman.

Mrs. Geo. W. Lowe sold, last week, Mrs. W. P. Summers a fine piano-player for \$600. It is one of the finest instruments in Columbia.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Rev. E. C. Hamilton, formerly pastor of the Presbyterian Church at Marrowbone Cumberland county, to Miss Elanora, Talbott, sister of Dr. Talbott, of Burkesville. The ceremony took place in Cincinnati. The groom is a brother of Rev. Frederic A. Hamilton, this place. He is now pastor of a Church in Ohio.

WANTED—pasture for two mares with colts. Jo M. Harris, Columbia, Ky.

Predict Wet Summer.

Old people who watch signs in discerning the weather for the future are confident that we are to have a wet summer. The predictions are based upon the fact the crawfish are not building mounds this spring, but end the holes abruptly at the top of the ground. This sign is relied upon absolutely by many old people and according to them is unfailing. In seasons when the weather is to be dry the crawfish build high mounds. From the fact that they have no mounds at all this spring it is indicated that the summer will be exceedingly wet.

Every body in Columbia will be glad when the house cleaning season is over. A person never knows how much dust accumulates in carpets until cleaning up day arrives. It is a very tiresome day to women folks, and the men are glad when the task has been completed, and the dwelling looking like a new pin.

James Resigns.

Chattanooga, Tenn., June 2.—Chas. E. James, president and director of the Dixie Highway Association, forwarded his resignation last night to the chairman of the commission that fixed the route of the proposed road in a letter which declared the commission exceeded its authority in designating more than one route through any State.

Mr. James announced it was his purpose to build a "short line" through Tennessee and Kentucky to the Ohio river "to Cincinnati or Louisville, or both," and that the Dixie Highway Association was given scant consideration either in Chattanooga or Louisville.

Carload of Superior Wheat Drills and Deering Binders for sale at right prices. Good stock of binder twine. Better buy early. J. H. Phelps, 29-61 Jamestown, Ky.

The Pearl Industry.

We learn from parties, who live on Cumberland river, that as soon as the stream gets low, the pearl industry will be lively. Beginning about the middle of July the banks will be lined with men, who open the mussels as fast as they are grabbed and landed. Some very valuable pearls have been found between Rowena and Creelboro, and a number of citizens, who do not go to the river, deal in them, the local buyer sending to New York market. Quite a number of pearls have been found in the past that brought over one hundred dollars each. The men who go out in the river to do the grabbing are generally employed by speculators at so much a day for their labor.

An Ideal Citizen.

There is a gentleman in this town, known to us all, who is just about our ideal of a good citizen.

He is making his money here, he is raising and educating his family here, and he expects to live here and die here.

When he has money to spend he first looks carefully over the advertisements in this paper. If he finds what he wants he goes there and gives that merchant the first opportunity.

In every thing he buys he gives the home merchant the preference.

He occasionally buys articles from abroad, but they are cases wherein he cannot find that which he seeks in his own community.

He believes in his home town, and because he does believe in it and intends to continue to live in it he grasps every possible means of advancing its interests by keeping his money in circulation at home.

He, to our mind, is the ideal citizen.

Would that he were multiplied a thousand fold.

For we need more of him.

I keep on hands a full stock of coffins, caskets, and robes. I also keep Metallic Caskets, and Steel Boxes and two hearse. Prompt service night or day. Residence Phone 29, office phone 98.

45-1 yr J. F. Triplett, Ad Columbia, Ky.

A great many people brought their children to Columbia last Monday—to see the animals. Others come to see the whole show down to and including the raising of the canvas. The show went from here to Russell Springs.

I will make switches, one or three stem, 50 cents. Send hair by mail or otherwise. Sue Marshall, Montpelier, Ky.

Mr. T. C. Davidson commenced using snap beans, grown in his garden, the first of last week. We saw a sample and it was of fine size.

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Kentucky Fair Dates.

The following are the dates fixed for holding the Kentucky Fairs for 1915, as far as reported. Officers of fairs are requested to report to us any omissions or corrections of dates:

Danville, July 21-3 days.

Mt. Sterling, July 21-4 days.

Harrodsburg, July 27-4 days

Winchester, July 28-4 days

Blue Grass Fair, Lexington, Aug. 2-6 days

Taylorsville, Aug. 3-4 days.

Burkesville, Aug. 10-4 days.

Vanceburg, Aug. 11-4 days

Broadhead, Aug. 11-3 days

Perryville, Aug. 11-3 days

Fern Creek, Aug. 11-4 days

Sanders, Tri-County Fair, Aug. 11-4 days

Shepherdsville, Aug. 17-4 days

Lawrenceburg, Aug. 17-4 days

Columbia, Aug. 17-4 days

Stanford, Aug. 18-3 days

Eminence, Aug. 19-3 days

Ewing, Aug. 19-3 days

London, Aug. 24-4 days

Nicholasville, Aug. 24-3 days

Elizabethtown, Aug. 24-3 days

Shelbyville, Aug. 24-4 days

Germantown, Aug. 25-4 days

Florence, Aug. 26-3 days

Alexandria, Aug. 31-5 days

Somerset, Aug. 31-4 days

Grayson, Sept. 1-4 days

Barbourville, Sept. 1-3 days

Hodgenville, Sept. 7-3 days

Henderson, Sept. 7-5 days

Kentucky State Fair, Louisville, Sept. 13-6 days

Owensboro, Sept. 21-5 days

Horse Cave, Sept. 22-4 days

Pennyroyal-Hopkinsville, Sept. 27-6 days

Glasgow, Sept. 29-4 days

Adairville, Sept. 30-3 days

Cave City, Oct. 4-6 days

Murray, Oct. 6-4 days

50,000 boards for sale. Casey Jones' Store. 30-4t

The Rapid Transit Company, Lexington, has rented Mr. J. T. Page's Garage, sent check for same and stated that the company would be operating between Columbia and Campbellsville in a few days. The company will first start a large freight car.

Died.

Arthur, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Triplett, who live on Disappointment, died last Wednesday morning. He was about twelve years old, and was a victim of typhoid fever. His death brought great sorrow to his parents, brothers and sisters, and also to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Triplett, this place. His funeral and burial was largely attended. When death comes, the living must look to God for comfort.

Monday, the 21st inst., circuit court will convene in Jamestown, and doubtless a large crowd will be in attendance. This paper will be represented the two first days and parties who may have business with the office will be given an opportunity to see the representative.

The first day of the Russell circuit court, which convenes at Jamestown Monday week, the candidates for district offices and also for county offices are expected to speak to the people.

Mr. George Morrison, who lives in the Tabor neighborhood, was bitten, last Wednesday morning, on the right hand by a copper head snake. In a few minutes his hand was terribly swollen and he suffered greatly. Dr. Cartwright administered.

Mrs. I. C. Curry, who lives in the Cane Valley section, had her ten months old girl baby in town last Wednesday. The child's head commenced to grow when it was two months old, and it is now larger than a peck basket. The mother of the child stated that a county physician pronounced the affliction, "dropsy of the head." It was a remarkable sight and many called at Mrs. Walker's store to see it.

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Notice M. W. A.

All members of Columbia Camp No. 12502, Modern Woodmen of America, are urged to be present at their lodge room on Monday night, June 14. There will be important business to come before the order.

F. A. Rosenbaum, C. J. C. Strange, Clerk.

Buy home bread, baked every day by Mrs. Trabue Wickliff. 32 lb

After having many calls we have decided to work lumber at the following prices: Flooring \$1.00 per hundred; cornish and casing, 90 cents per hundred, old fashioned weather boarding, 50 cents per hundred; 8 ceiling, 80 cents per hundred; dressing and re-sawing weatherboarding, \$1.00 per hundred; dressing and re-sawing ceiling, \$1.20 hundred; ripping lumber, 30 cents per hundred; ripping and re-sawing hogshead lumber, 50 cent per hundred Sandusky Bros.

Mr. Eugene Newman, writing from Washington, D. C., to the Edmonton News, makes the statement that he thinks he was acquainted with Mrs. Nancy Acre, of this county, who died last week at the age of one hundred years and twenty-three days. It is in his mind that Mrs. Acre was the wife of a tinner by that name who once lived in Columbia and who removed from this place to Metcalfe county. A different woman altogether. We do not know that she was related to the tinner Acre. Her husband was Green Acre, a first cousin to the late Gov. Preston H. Leslie. Edmonton News please copy.

At a meeting of the city council Monday night McCandless & Russell were given a franchise to operate an electric light plant in Columbia. Mr. A. H. Ballard was awarded the contract to furnish the city lights for five years at \$1,000 per year, the lights to run all night, beginning the first week of September. The bid of McCandless & Russell was \$900 per year, Mr. Ballard's \$1,000.

Miss Laura Smith, of this place, has been awarded a life certificate to teach by the Commonwealth of Kentucky. It will be remembered that last year Miss Laura won the State prize for the best moonlight school story written by the teacher. The certificate was bestowed upon a worthy young woman, who merited the honor.

Quarterly meeting next Saturday and Sunday at Clear Spring.

One of the three men who picked up the silver pocket book on Burkesville street, June 7th, will please return to this office and receive liberal reward. The parties are known.

The June number of the Review of Reviews is of great interest to those who want to keep up with the war. The stories are impartially written

A Splendid Offer.

For the next thirty days we will furnish The Adair County News one year, the Cincinnati Weekly Enquirer, one year, Boy's Magazine, monthly, one year, Farm and Fireside, semi-monthly, one year; To-day's Magazine, monthly, one year; and Poultry Pointers, monthly, one year, all for \$1.65. This is the best offer ever made by this office, and all who want reading matter should send their subscriptions to this office at once.

Effect of Electric Waves.

The question has been asked, "Does wireless cause explosions?" A well-known scientist recently suggested that the explosion which wrecked the British battleship, the Bulwark, might have been due to the influence of wireless waves.

The theory that wireless causes explosions was put forward some time ago by a French engineer. To prove his point he called attention to the fact that the disaster to the British steamer, the Volturno, which was burnt in the Atlantic, took place just on the junction point where the wireless waves from the Eiffel tower and Glace bay meet. The mysterious mine explosion at Senghenydd also occurred on the Clifden-Paris, wireless line.

The French engineer also points out that in his opinion wireless has a strange effect on the mind, and he considers that it is for this reason that collisions between ships have greatly increased of recent years. Many of these mishaps have taken place at the junction of the wireless wave routes, and it is said that the wireless so affected the brains of ships' commanders that in critical moments they lost control of their vessels. This theory is confirmed by the fact that birds flying near wireless stations move in an uneasy, agitated fashion, as if their senses were under some strange influence.

Tired, Aching Muscles Relieved

Hard work, over-exertion, mean stiff, sore muscles. Sloan's Liniment lightly applied, a little quiet, and your soreness disappears like magic. "Nothing ever helped like your Sloan's Liniment. I can never thank you enough writes one grateful user." Stops suffering, aches and pains. An excellent counter-irritant, better and cleaner than mustard. All Druggist 25c. Get a bottle to-day. Penetrates without rubbing. For sale by Paul Drug Co. Ad

In Woman's Realm.

Miss Marian Towne will be the first woman to sit in the Oregon legislature, having been elected to that office at the recent election on the Democratic ticket.

Mrs. Henry A. Morgan, chairman of the home economics department of the General Federation of Woman's clubs, estimates that the average housewife is worth \$800 a year.

Dr. Grace L. Meigs, a sanitary expert, and Miss Emma O. Lund-

berg, a social expert have been added to the staff of the children's bureau in the department of labor at Washington.

The former Anna Gould, now a French countess, has opened a workshop in Paris to give employment to needy women who have been made destitute on account of their husbands going to war.

When Arabian women go into mourning they stain their hands and feet with indigo for eight days, and during that time they will drink no milk on the ground that its white hue does not harmonize with the mental gloom.

Gallipolis, O., has a newspaper of which a woman is the executive head of all the departments.

Except for native guides, Countess Moliter will be alone on her trip across the sandy desert of Ruba-el-Khali in South Arabia.

Miss Bessie Marks, of Seattle, Wash., is probably the best educated girl of her age in the world. Her entire legacy of \$25,000 left her by her father when she was four years of age has all been used to cram knowledge into her head. She is now 19 years old and declares that mentally she feels as though she was 50.

A Good Household Salve

Ordinary ailments and injuries are not of themselves serious, but infection or low vitality may make them dangerous. Don't neglect a cut, sore, bruise or hurt because it's small. Blood Poison has resulted from a prick or scratch. For all such ailments Bucklin's Arnica Salve is excellent. It protects and heals the hurt; is antiseptic, kills infection and prevents dangerous complications. Good for all Skin Blemishes, Pimples, Salt Rheum, Eczema. Get an original 2-ounce 25c box from your Paul Drug Co. Ad

What We Eat.

If you are a person of average height, weight and appetite, and live to be 75, you will have eaten 54 tons of solid food and 53 tons of liquid. That is, about 1,300 times your own weight.

If you were to stack the bread you will have consumed in this number of years the pile would equal a fairsized building. The amount of butter you will have used on this bread would come to a ton and a quarter. If you are a lover of bacon and were to stretch that which you have eaten out in single slices, four miles would be the length. Five tons of fish and 12,000 eggs would stand to your credit, while the normal cheese eater would easily have consumed 400 pounds. The vegetables you will have eaten would fill a train three miles long. You will have consumed some 10,000 pounds of sugar and 1,500 pounds of salt. If you are a smoker you will have used about a half-ton of tobacco in pipes, and will have smoked a million cigarettes.

Boys Should Learn.

To run.
To swim.
To carve.
To be neat.
To make a fire.
To be punctual.
To cut kindling.
To do an errand.
To sing if they can.
To hang up their hats.
To respect their teacher.
To hold their heads erect.
To wipe their feet on the mat.
To read aloud when requested.
To cultivate a cheerful temper.
To sew on their own buttons.
To help the boy smaller than themselves.
To speak pleasantly to an old lady.
To put every garment in its proper place.
To remove their hats on entering a house.
Not to tease boys smaller than themselves.
To keep their finger nails from wearing mourning.
To make up their minds not to learn to smoke, chew or drink.

Bilious Attacks.

When you have a bilious attack your liver fails to perform its functions. You become constipated. The food you eat ferments in your stomach instead of digesting. This inflames the stomach causing nausea, vomiting and a terrible headache. Take Chamberlain's Tablets. They will tone up your liver, clean out your stomach and you will soon be as well as ever. They only cost a quarter. Obtainable at Paul Drug Co. Ad

Elevated Playground.

The largest elevated playground in the world will be in operation in New York this summer. The trestling, extending from the piers of the Williamsburg bridge, covers nearly 30,000 square feet of space, and the city engineers have arranged to turn this into account as a recreation park. It will contain a baseball ground, a bandstand, space for dancing, a park with real trees, growing at an elevation of nearly 30 feet above the street. This park will be a triumph of the city foraster's art, but it is believed that it will be perfectly practical, although the trees have not been planted long enough to test them. Soil between three and four feet deep has been provided. It has been demonstrated in other places that a number of good sized trees, including the hemlock, can be grown in earth of this depth. In addition to the trees, flowers and shrubs will be carefully cultivated in order that the people from the crowded tenement section, where the park is located, may have as much of the beauty of nature within their reach as pos-

Bowels are Basis of Child Health

The careful mother, who watches closely the physical peculiarities of her children, will soon discover that the most important thing in connection with child's constant good health is to keep the bowels regularly open. Sluggishness will be followed by loss of appetite, restlessness during sleep, irritability and a dozen and one similar evidences of physical disorder. At the first sign of such disorder give the child a teaspoonful of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin at night on retiring and repeat the dose the following night if necessary—more than that will scarcely be needed. You will find that the child will recover its accustomed good spirits at once and will eat and sleep normally. This remedy is a vast improvement over salts, cathartics, laxative waters and similar things, which are altogether too powerful for a child. The homes of Mrs. Carrie McDonald, 1036 Triggs Ave., Memphis, Tenn., and Mrs. Sallie E. Griffith, Veedale, Ky., are always supplied with Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, and with them, as with thousands of others, there is no substitute for this grand laxative. It is really more than a laxative, for it contains superior tonic properties which help to tone and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels so that after a brief use of it all laxatives can be dispensed with and nature will do its own work. Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way, may write for a sample and receive free of charge by simply addressing Dr. B. Caldwell, 470 Lexington St., Morrisville, Pa. Your name and address on a post card will do.

sible. The elevation will make this park cool and attractive in the summer, while it is expected that a part of it can be flooded next winter, so as to provide a skating place for the young people.

Greatly Benefited by Chamberlain's Liniment.

"I have used Chamberlain's Liniment for sprains, bruises and rheumatic pains, and the great benefit I have received justifies my recommending it in the highest terms," writes Mrs. Florence Slife, Wabash, Ind. If you are troubled with rheumatic pains you will certainly be pleased with the prompt relief which Chamberlain's Liniment affords. Obtainable at Paul Drug Co. Ad

One Hundred Dollars for Best Moonlight School.

The Kentucky Federation of Women's Clubs in their annual meeting in Lexington voted to offer a prize of \$100 to the teacher in Kentucky who should teach the best moonlight school, the prize to be awarded through the Kentucky Illiteracy Commission, Frankfort, Kentucky. Here is a chance for some teacher to add a hundred dollars to his salary, and for many teachers to help Kentucky. Go in and win this prize!

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy.

This is a remedy that every family should be provided with, and especially during the spring and summer months. Think of the pain and suffering that must be endured when medicine must be sent for or before relief can be obtained. This remedy is thoroughly reliable. Ask anyone who has used it. Obtainable at Paul Drug Co. Ad

Judge Kirby, of Louisville, has suspended the feature of city ordinance requiring jitney cars to give bond.

The German Grand Lodge of Free Masons has severed all fraternal relation with members of the order in France and Italy.

A break in the Arkansas River levee near Pine Bluff has flooded 50,000 acres of land.

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of Bourbon Poultry Cure
down a chick's throat cures gapes. A few drops in the drinking water cures and prevents diarrhea, cholera and other chick diseases. One 5c bottle makes 12 gallons of medicine. At all druggists, or by mail postpaid. Valuable poultry book free.

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Interesting Facts.

Canada last year exported dried apples valued at \$411,980.

Russia 1913 bought 120,795,600 pounds of tea from China.

About 125,000 telephone girls are employed in the United States.

The thread of the silk worm is one-thousandth of an inch in diameter.

Berlin is the home of nearly one-third of Germany's more than 500 music schools.

It is reported that oil fields have been discovered in the Vacuifa mountains of Bolivia.

Gray horses are the longest lived cream colored ones the most affected by temperature changes.

There is more whisky now stored in Kentucky than there was in the whole country a decade ago.

New Zealand breeds between 23,000,000 and 24,000,000 sheep, of which about 25 per cent., are annually exported.

Yes—Many People
have told us the same story—distress after eating, gases, heartburn. A **Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet** before and after each meal will relieve you. Sold only by us—25c.

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The Pessimist.

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Nothing to eat but food,
Nothing to wear but clothes
To keep one from going nude.
Nothing to breathe but air
Quick as a flash 'tis gone:
Nowhere to fall but off,
Nowhere to stand but on.
Nothing to comb but hair,
Nowhere to sleep but in bed,
Nothing to weep but tears,
Nothing to bury but dead.

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This is a question asked us many times each day. The answer is

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We guarantee them to be satisfactory to you. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

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On account of the continuous rains in the last two weeks, preventing games, all baseball clubs in the country are losing money.

Turkish Troop Ship Sinks.

According to Reuter dispatch from Athens, it is reported from Constantinople that a British submarine has torpedoed two Turkish transports, one of them laden with troops, in the sea of Marmora.

The World Over.

Rugby school was founded and endowed in 1567.

The opal is the only gem not successfully counterfeited.

The dollar sign was derived from the letters "U. S." in monogram.

It is said that four miles of an ordinary spider's thread would weigh one grain.

Birch Veneer is being sought in Canada by London manufacturers of tea chests.

On an average a man consumes one ton of solid and liquid nourishment every year.

China's national hymn is said to be so long that it requires about half a day to sing it.

Allah, the name of the Mohammedan deity, means "the one worthy to be adored."

A factory in which radium is being produced has been opened in Scotland by a Scotch chemist.

One of the best grades of Italian cheese is sold only after it has been seasoned for at least four years.

Six or eight months' time and an expense of \$50,000 involved in repainting the Brooklyn bridge.

Grass or hay placed in a pipe for a few days will cause it to smoke as sweetly as when it was new.

Investigators in Bavaria have found that the more bread school children eat the better the condition of their teeth.

Australia has modified its absolute prohibition of the importation of opium to permit the

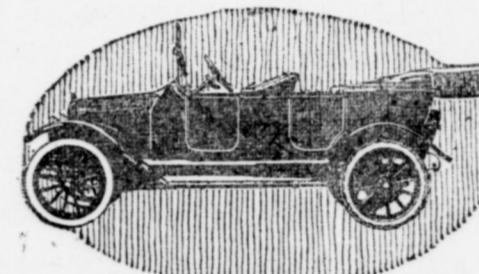
entry of the drug for medicinal purposes.

The Ginelle lock on the Seine is so constructed that one man can open or shut it by simply touching an electric button as he sits in his office.

The speaker of the Michigan House of Representatives met a train the other day with eight bills under his arm, and departure was delayed while the Governor, a passenger, did a little signing.

William Rouse, of Bath, Me., is wearing a house coat which was made for his father about sixty years ago. The material is German broadcloth, and the entire coat is without a blemish.

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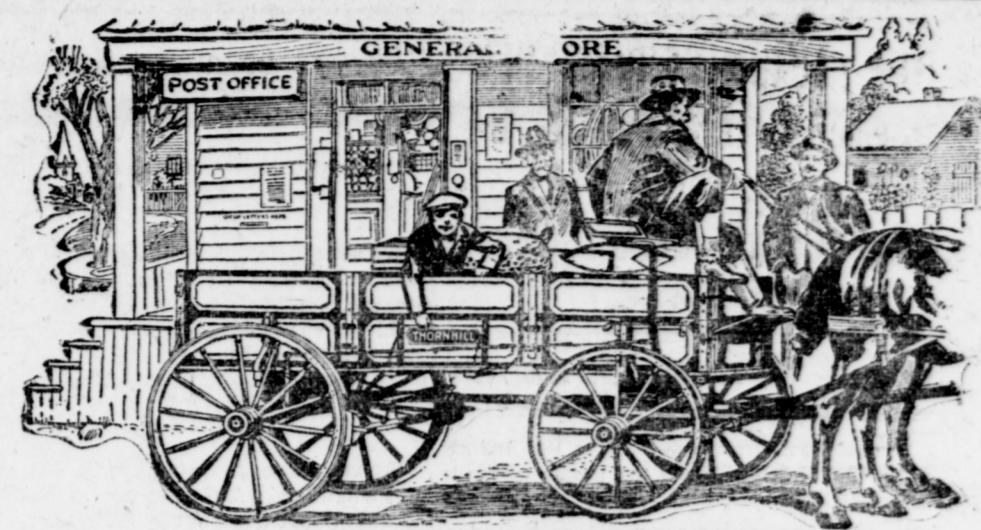
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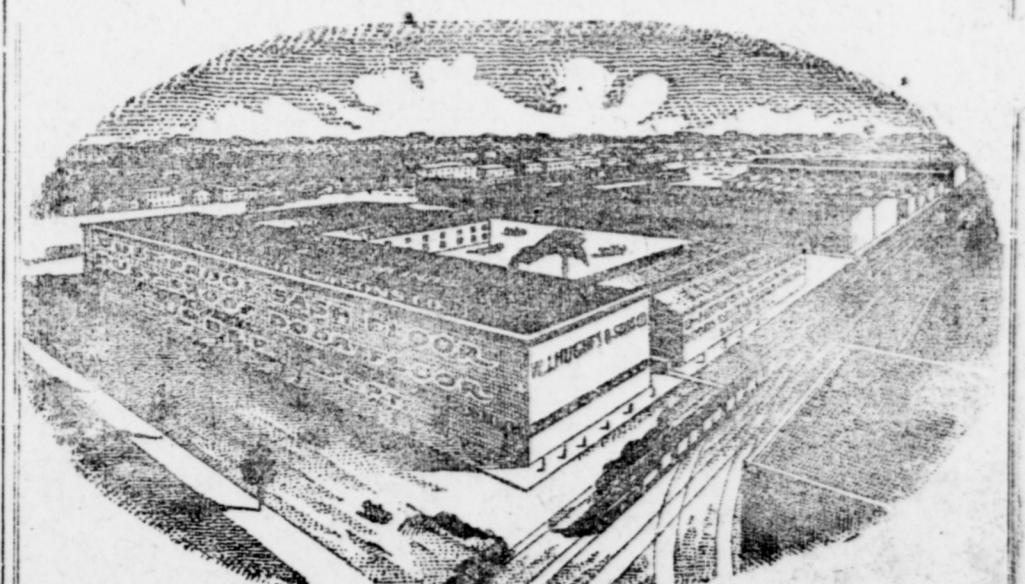
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Announcements.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce F. A. Strange a candidate for circuit clerk of Adair county, subject to the Democratic primary to be held in August.

CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce that W. T. Price is a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Court Clerk of Adair county, subject to the action of the Republican voters of said party, at the August primary.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

Judge J. C. Carter, of Monroe county, authorizes us to announce his candidacy for re-election to the office of Circuit Judge in this the Twenty-ninth district, subject to the action of the Republican voters, as expressed at the polls at the coming August primary.

CIRCUIT JUDGE, 11TH DISTRICT.

We are authorized to announce Judge I. H. Thurman, of Washington County, a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Judge in the Eleventh District, comprising the counties of Green, Taylor, Marion and Washington, subject to the action of the Democratic party, as expressed at the August primary.

FOR COMMONWEALTH'S ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to announce A. A. Hudleston, of Cumberland county, a candidate for re-election to the office of Commonwealth's Attorney in this the Twenty-ninth district, subject to the action of the Republican voters in said district, as expressed at the primary to be held the first Saturday in August, 1915.

FOR THE STATE SENATE.

We are authorized to announce D. E. Hatchett, of Barren county, a candidate for the State Senate, subject to the Democratic voters at the August primary. The district is composed of the counties of Barren, Metcalfe and Adair.

We are authorized to announce R. B. Trigg, Barren county, a candidate for the State Senate from the 19th district, subject to the action of the Democratic voters in the August primary. The district is composed of Adair, Barren and Metcalfe.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce H. C. Baker a candidate to represent Adair and Cumberland in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Republican voters, as expressed at the August primary.

We are authorized to announce G. L. Perryman a candidate to represent Adair and Cumberland in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Republican voters of the district, as expressed at the August primary.

FOR LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce that L. T. Neat is a candidate to represent Adair and Cumberland in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Republican voters, as expressed at the August primary.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE.

We are authorized to announce B. G. Redman a candidate to represent Adair and Cumberland in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Republican voters, as expressed at the August primary.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

WILLIAM F. KLAIR----FAYETTE COUNTY. Candidate for Re-elect as Railroad Commissioner Second District of Kentucky. Subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August Primary.

FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE.

We are authorized to announce Nat S. Cohen, of Madison county, a candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture, subject to the action of the Democratic voters of Kentucky, as expressed at the August primary.

Russell County Announcement.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce J. R. McFarland a candidate for Circuit Court Clerk of Russell county, subject to the action of the Republican voters of said county, as expressed at the August primary.

FOR CIRCUIT COURT CLERK.

We are authorized to announce Lee A. Lawless a candidate for re-election to the office of Circuit Court Clerk of the County of Russell, subject to the action of the Republican voters of said county, as expressed at the August primary.

THE JAMES HIGHWAY.

The fight which was made at Chattanooga was by no means a lost battle for those who contended for the "Short Route" through Kentucky and Tennessee as the location for the Dixie Highway.

The result will be the building of the line from Louisville to Chattanooga, by way of Lebanon, Columbia and Albany, whether it be called the "Dixie Highway" or not. An appropriate name under the circumstances would be "The James Dixie Land Highway," as Mr. James was one of the first promoters of the enterprise and has identified himself with this route in a way which we believe means success.

The name however, is not so material provided we get the highway, and we will get it through Columbia unless our people are absolutely blind to their own interest, and we feel sure they are not.

We have had so many schemes for public improvement presented to us which failed that we are discouraged, that is the only trouble.

This is not an enterprise that needs to fail, and it will not fail if we are sufficiently awake to the situation to grasp its importance to us.

At the Chattanooga meeting, there was a contention as to how the line should run through Georgia. On the day of the contest the streets of Chattanooga were crowded with Georgians who came to boost the respective routes. They closed their business houses all along the proposed routes, and came by hundreds and thousands, so important did they consider it.

On one of the lines over two thousand badges were used, and this was not sufficient to meet the demand. Delegates were there along a line of eighteen hundred miles, Governors of states, congressmen, lawyers, farmers, merchants, urging their respective routes. No such enthusiasm was ever before seen anywhere for road building.

We are on the direct line, and we will get the road if we want it. The only thing necessary is for Adair, Russell and Clinton to fill in the gap between Columbia and the Tennessee line beyond Albany. They should work together. It is immaterial to us which way it goes through Russell. The thing of importance is for it to go. About ten miles carries us to the Russell line.

That is our part to make the connection. Will we hesitate? Mr. James, a capitalist of

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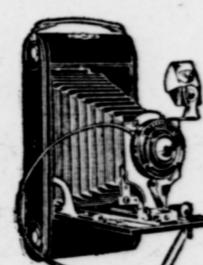
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L. E. YOUNG
Columbia, Ky.

Personals.

Mrs. H. W. Depp returned recently from a visit to Burkesville.

Mr. W. E. Falkenburg, Jamestown, was in Columbia last Thursday.

Mrs. Sam Lewis is visiting her daughter at Elizabethtown.

Miss Cora Hogard, who teaches at Central City, is at home for vacation.

Mr. W. T. Ottley, wife, and son, John, are visiting in Burkesville.

Mr. L. R. Snow, Russell Springs, was here last Friday.

Mr. L. B. Smith, Campbellsville, was in town a few days ago.

Mr. H. M. Smith, merchant at Font Hill, was here last Friday.

Miss Gertrude Keltner, Gradyville, is visiting Miss Allene Nell.

Miss Ruth Hill, Gradyville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hill.

Mrs. Ray Montgomery, is spending several weeks with her mother, who resides near Bowling Green.

Mrs. J. N. Murrell and children have returned from a visit to Louisville.

Mr. Oscar P. McBeath, Louisville, spent a few days in Columbia last week.

Mr. C. B. Rine and Mr. R. L. Marshall, Campbellsville, were here last Friday.

Mr. Geo. R. Miller, Louisville, was here two days of last week, supplying our grocerymen with fancy candies. Mr. Miller is now in business for himself, and he is enjoying a fine trade.

Mrs. Geo. W. Lowe continues to improve. While her recuperation is not being rapidly made, the change for the better is very perceptible.

Misses Jennye McFarland and Katherine E. Murrell spent last Wednesday with Mrs. Porter A. Strange, at the home of the latter's parents, a few miles out of town. They report a most delightful dinner and a happy day of enjoyment.

Prof. W. M. Wilson is on a business trip to San Benito, Texas. He owns a tract of land near that city and he has gone to look after it.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Loy and their daughter, Miss Dottie Loy, of near Gadberry, spent last Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. White.

Mrs. W. H. Shipp and children, of Princeton, Ky., arrived a few days ago to visit Mrs. Shipp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Barbee. Miss Winnie Barbee, sister of Mrs. Shipp, who visited in Princeton several months, also returned.

Mrs. Ccsby McBeath and her two little boys, who visited Mrs. McBeath's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jo. N. Conover, several weeks, left for Danville last Wednesday morning where they will visit a week, then go to their home in Monticello.

Rev. M. M. Murrell and wife, who attended the District Conference at Tompkinsville, reached Columbia last Friday. Saturday they went to Raley where Mrs. Murrell will remain with her parents a week or two, her husband going to his home in Monticello.

Mr. Bruce Montgomery, Assistant Cashier of the First National Bank, and Mr. Jo Knifley, Assistant Cashier of the Bank of Columbia, left Thursday morning for Crab Orchard, where they will attend a meeting of the Banker's Association. Crab Orchard is a noted watering place, and these gentlemen propose to drink freely of the health giving beverage.

Mr. J. O. Ewing and Mr. W. T. Curtis, Burkesville, arrived in Columbia last Wednesday afternoon. The former was here to meet his daughter, Miss Jane, the latter to meet his sister, Miss Kate, both young ladies having been in College, Danville.

Mrs. James Holladay left this morning for Georgetown, where she will meet her son, James and her daughter, Miss Lois, who will finish at Georgetown college. Mrs. Holladay will visit other points before returning home.

Miss May Bell returned to her home in Edmonton last week. Mrs. Georgia Crenshaw accompanied her, and will be absent several weeks.

Mr. F. A. Strange, Democratic candidate for circuit court clerk and Mr. Buel Shive, of the Sparksfield country, went to Louisville last Thursday, the latter to consult a specialist.

Mr. Ed Allen, Danville, was here Monday.

HIGH OFFICIALS
TAKING TANLACJudges, Mayors and Prominent
Business Men Try Premier
Preparation.

Lexington, Ky., June 8.—"I have sold Tanlac since the beginning of its introduction in Lexington, to the Mayors of a number of cities, County Judges, Circuit Judges, and to many of the most prominent business men and professional men in Kentucky," said Wm. E. Staggs, the Lexington druggist.

"The demand for the preparation has been phenomenal. In all of my twenty years' experience in the drug business I have never seen anything to equal it.

"In addition to the Lexington demand, Tanlac has been shipped from my store to Kansas City, Mo., Colorado Springs, Colo., Denver, Colo., Memphis, Tenn., Meridian, Miss., Bonnilla, S. D., Pittsburgh, Pa., Jacksonville, Fla.; Louisville, Ky.; Tiffin, Ohio; Cincinnati, Ohio; Columbia, Tenn.; Palm Beach, Fla.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Los Angeles, Cal., and many other points too numerous to mention. You may rest assured that every city in Kentucky also has heard of Tanlac.

"I can only account for the great demand for this preparation by the fact that it is a good medicine. That is proved by the numerous statements from those who have tested the medicine and are now convinced of its excellent merits. The public has evidently not been slow to appreciate the Tanlac merit.

"Practically \$20,000.00 worth of Tanlac has been sold and distributed through my store within the past few weeks. Such a demand is most certainly unprecedented.

"My associations with Mr. Cooper and the agency for Tanlac has been very pleasant. I therefore take pleasure in commanding Mr. Cooper and his very excellent preparation."

Tanlac, the premier preparation, on sale in Columbia, at Page & Taylor's drug store, where it being introduced here.

Ad.

Dr. T. H. Westbrook and his bride, (nee Miss Ethel Conover), of Texia, Texas, arrived last Thursday afternoon, to spend several weeks with Mrs. Westbrook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Conover.

Miss Minnie Kemp, who has been in Bowling Green for several months, taking a business course, returned home last Friday afternoon.

Mr. Jo Russell, who went to Louisville to have his tonsils removed, returned home last Thursday. The specialist who examined his throat found the tonsils too much inflamed to remove them at present. Mr. Russell received treatment, however, and is some better than he was before going to the city.

Rev. Joel Mitchell, of Ironton, Mo., who lived with his parents near Columbia, for many years, visited relatives in and near town the latter part of last week. He is pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Ironton. He was accompanied from Green county by his cousin, Mr. John A. Mitchell.

Mr. H. M. Dockery, wife and daughter, Kansas City, Mo., arrived here Friday afternoon, en route to Jamestown.

Mrs. H. V. Denver, of near Lebanon, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. E. Marcum.

Mrs. Ed Johnson and her daughter, of Russellville, are visiting at the home of Rev. J. S. Chandler, the former being a sister-in-law to the latter.

Mr. Ralph Hurt is spending a few weeks at Frankfort with his father, Judge Rollin Hurt.

Mrs. Porter A. Strange left Monday morning for her Oklahoma home.

Mr. Albia Eubank, who is in college at Lexington, returned home last Saturday, for the summer.

Miss Allene Richardson, granddaughter of Mrs. U. L. Taylor, is visiting her grandmother for a few weeks.

Come to Columbia Friday, June 11

Representatives will be here from all

Counties on the proposed

Short Central Route

of Dixie Highway from Louisville to Bardstown, Springfield, Lebanon, Campbellsville, Columbia, Albany and Chattanooga. An organization of this Route will be affected at this meeting.

Come and Help "Boost" for Adair County.

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I am overstocked on some few items in Jewelry, and in order to reduce the stock quick, I will give a liberal discount on the entire stock. This Jewelry is new and up-to-date.

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For the next ten days only, the following discounts will be given:

Ladies Gold Set Rings.....	25 per cent off
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Music Instruments.....	25 " "
Watchers and Clocks.....	10 " "

No discounts on Kodaks and Supplies. Now is the time don't delay. Come in to-day and save one-fourth.

I WILL EXPECT YOU IN

MURRAY BALL, Jeweler, Columbia, Ky.

Mrs. John Morrison, who has been sick for two weeks, is better.

Cane Valley.

Dirigo.

Miss Mary Wilson is visiting relatives in Spurlington, this week.

Mrs. Mattie Banks, of Louisville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Anna Hatcher, two miles West of here.

Frank Hutchison found the English pheasant nest last Wednesday with eight eggs. One of the hens disappeared soon after they were liberated, the other two have been seen often.

Buell, the little six year old son of Harrison Wilson, jumped from a wood shed last Sunday evening, breaking one of his legs just above the ankle. Dr. Atkinson was called and set the bones, and at present the little fellow is getting along nicely.

Henry Hancock, of Columbia, was visiting his cousin, Banks Hancock, several days of last week.

Mrs. T. A. Furkin arrived home from Louisville last week, where she underwent a very serious operation. At present she is doing better than we ever expected to see.

J. C. Bault, our dark tobacco man, is in Louisville this week winding up the ball. Mr. Bault & Sons have bought about one hundred hogsheads of dark tobacco this season, paying the top prices, often more than he received in the market.

The good people of this community met and gave our cemetery a nice dressing last Wednesday. We now have a nice little city for the dead.

Quite a number from this section attended the dedication of the new Christian Church at Amandaville, Sunday.

Herschel Campbell has been very sick for the past few days with hemorrhage of the lungs.

Born to the wife of Rev. H. M. Stotts on the 31st. a son.

Mrs. Laura Willeut bought a milch cow from Hadis Harvey, for \$50, and R. H. McKinney bought one from Granville Estes, for \$50.

Landy Stotts has bought a kit of tools and established a furniture repair shop.

Mrs. Ed Wheeler, Sparksfield, visited relatives at this place, last week.



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MISSION OF THE RURAL CHURCH

SHOULD BE UNIVERSITY OF RELIGIOUS LEARNING.

Duty of Christianity to Evangelize the World.

By Rev. Jno. A. Rice, D. D.
Pastor St. John M. E. Church, South, St. Louis, Mo.

Some years ago, the question was asked: What is a college? The attempt to answer it shook the educational world in America from center to circumference. Another question is now beginning to be asked: What is a church? Without undertaking to give a definition of it, let me ask, in this initial paper, what the church is for? The New Testament reveals three distinct tasks to which it is committed.

First, that of evangelization. The church is divinely commissioned to reach for the lowest and the least man in the least land and offer him sonship to the Eternal God; offer him a divine power, which lifts him out of the bog and places him upon the highest levels of human life, where God and the soul are in fellowship. This alone were an immense privilege.

Teaching the Art of Living.

The church is commissioned also to teach and train those who are rich with its evangelistic message. The term, Religious Education, has come to mean a specific thing in our country, namely, the training of the people in the local church in those deep matters which pertain to the art of living. I am not now speaking of the work of education in schools, colleges and universities, but the work of education at our doors, in the congregation. Every agency in reach should be employed to the utmost in this important mission. Indeed, the local church could be made a sort of university for all the people, in which the simple, practical arts and virtues of everyday life should be taught and enforced. Only recently has this special phase of the church's work received anything like adequate attention. The New Testament word for it is Edification.

School of Religion Needed.

Of course, the Sunday School is the center for all this work, although the activities of the church should extend through the entire week and the Sunday School should cease to be so named. It should be called the School of Religion or the Church School or something else that indicates it to be an all-the-week activity. During this time various and sundry clubs, classes, musical organizations, culture courses, as well as distinctly religious meetings, should be held. Thickly settled neighborhoods, as we shall see, offer fine opportunities for the development of things spiritual.

The third task to which the church is committed is that of Christianizing the social order; that of infusing the spirit of Jesus into every nook and corner of our life. Nothing is foreign to the interest of the church.

Neighboring Love Essential.

If religion pervades and colors the whole life then ours is serious business, for it will let no corner of the world escape its influence. The sooner we learn that Christianity is not a thing to be practiced in a corner the better for the world. The question of the eighteenth century, touching Christianity, was, Can it be made to square with the human reason? Of the nineteenth, Can it be made to square with the results of scientific research? Of the twentieth, What can it do? We must learn to enforce not only love of God, whom we cannot see, but love to our neighbors, with whom we are living in constant contact. Neither without the other is Christianity whatever else it may be. Everything that interests his neighbors must interest him, if he is a genuine follower of the Christ.

It is the mission of the church—the rural as well as the city—to evangelize the whole world, to train to the highest degree of efficiency those whom it evangelizes and to seek to make the spirit of Jesus the absolute rule in all human relations.

It is an admitted economic fact that there can be no permanent prosperity without a permanent agriculture.

THE NATION'S DINNER TABLE

When the dinner bell of this nation rings there have been slaughtered for the repast 13,000 beefes, 21,000 hogs, 4,600 sheep, 2,000 hundredweight of poultry and other meats, and there have been 700,000 bushels of cereals and 540,000,000 pounds of vegetables

prepared for the feast. Multiply these quantities by one thousand, representing approximately the number of meals per annum, and we have the annual contents of the nation's larder. But with all our immense quantity, superb quality and wide range of products, the American housewife, like the wife of King Nebuchadnezzar, longs for variety and she goes marketing in foreign lands. She buys abroad \$200,000,000 per annum of farm products that can and should be produced in the United States.

WHY IS WOMAN RESTLESS?

DESTINY OF NATIONS DEPENDS UPON CONTENTED HOMES.

By W. D. Lewis.
President Texas Farmers' Union.

Why is woman dissatisfied? Why does she grow restless under the crown of womanhood? Why is she weary of the God-given jewel of motherhood? Is it not a sufficient political achievement for woman that future rulers nurse at her breast, laugh in her arms and kneel at her feet? Can ambition leap to more glorious heights than to sing lullabies to the world's greatest geniuses, chant melodies to master minds and rock the cradle of human destiny?

God pity our country when the handshake of the politician is more gratifying to woman's heart than the patter of children's feet.

Woman Is Ruler Over All.

Why does woman chafe under restraint of sex? Why revile the hand of nature? Why discard the skirts that civilization has clung to since the beginning of time? Why lay aside this hallowed garment that has wiped the tears of sorrow from the face of childhood? In its sacred embrace every generation has hidden its face in shame; clinging to its motherly folds, tottering children have learned to play hide and seek and from it youth learned to reverence and respect womanhood. Can man think of his mother without this consecrated garment?

Why this inordinate thirst for power? Is not woman all powerful? Man cannot enter this world without her consent, he cannot remain in peace without her blessing and unless she sheds tears of regret over his departure, he has lived in vain. Why this longing for civic power when God has made her ruler over all? Why crave authority when man bows down and worships her? Man has given woman her heart, his name and his money. What more does she want?

Can man find it in his heart to look with pride upon the statement that his honorable mother-in-law was one of the most powerful political bosses in the country, that his distinguished grandmother was one of the ablest filibusters in the Senate or that his mother was a noted warrior and her name a terror to the enemy? Whither are we drifting and where will we land?

God Save Us From a Hen-pecked Nation.

I follow the plow for a living and my views may have in them the smell of the soil; my hair is turning white under the frost of many winters and perhaps I am a little old-fashioned, but I believe there is more moral influence in the dress of woman than in all the statute books of the land. As an agency for morality, I wouldn't give my good old mother's homemade gowns for all the suffragette's constitutions and by-laws in the world.

As a power for purifying society, I wouldn't give one prayer of my saintly mother for all the women's votes in Christendom. As an agency for good government, I wouldn't give the plea of a mother's heart for righteousness for all the oaths of office in the land.

There is more power in the smile of woman than in an act of congress. There are greater possibilities for good government in her family of laughing children than in the cabinet of the president of the United States.

The destiny of this nation lies in the home and not in the legislative halls. The hearthstone and the family Bible will ever remain the source of our inspiration and the Acts of the Apostles will ever shine brighter than the acts of Congress.

This country is law-mad. Why add to a statute book, already groaning under its own weight, the hysterical cry of woman? If we never had a chance to vote again in a lifetime and did not pass another law in twenty-five years, we could survive the ordeal, but without home, civilization would wither and die.

God save these United States from becoming a hen-pecked nation; help us keep sissies out of Congress and forbid that women become stepmothers to government, is the prayer of the farmers of this country.

THE BATTLE OF THE TIRES

Agricultural and Commercial Press Service
It is interesting to watch the forces of civilization battling for supremacy. The struggle now going on between the rubber and the iron tire promises to be the liveliest contest of the Twentieth Century.

The struggle is a silent one and there are no war correspondents to write vivid descriptions of the conflict but the results are more far-reaching to present and future generations than the war of Europe.

The rubber tire has been maneuvering for point of attack for several years and has captured a few unimportant positions in traffic, but it has now pitched a decisive battle with its iron competitor by hurling a million "jiteneys" at the street railways and the battle is raging from ocean to ocean. Upon the result of the struggle depends the future of the rubber tire. If it is compelled to retreat, its doom is sealed, but if it wins the battle it will revolutionize the transportation methods of this nation.

If the rubber tire conquers the street traffic its next struggle is with the railroads of the country, and then the greatest battle between economic forces ever fought out on the face of this earth is on, for iron is the undisputed master in transportation, and is fortified behind billions of dollars, and millions of men.

Stephenson applied the steel tire to an iron rail in 1814, but it was 1869 before the golden spike was driven at Promontory Point, which bound the country together with bands of steel. It took the iron tire fifty-five years to creep from ocean to ocean, but the rubber tire while warm from the creative mind of the inventive genius sped across the continent like an arrow shot from the bow of Ulysses. The roadbed was already prepared and therein lies the power of the rubber tire over that of iron, for government builds and maintains the public highway.

But iron is a stubborn metal and it has mastered every wheel that turns; has fought battles with every element above and beneath the earth and has never tasted the wormwood of defeat, and when rubber hurls its full force against this monarch of the Mineral Kingdom, it may rebound to the factory stunned beyond recovery.

The rubber tire first made its appearance on the bicycle, but it proved a frivolous servant and was dismissed for incompetency. It has always been too much inclined to revel in luxury to be taken seriously as a utility machine and its reputation is not one to inspire confidence in heavy traffic performance.

But to those who care to waltz into dreamland, it is enchanting to note that there will be a marvelous difference between a rubber and an iron age. The rubber tire will scatter the cities throughout the valleys for with transportation at every man's door, why a city? It will traverse the continent with a net work of Macadam highways as beautiful as the boulevard built by Napoleon. It will paralyze the law making bodies of this nation for how could the legislatures run without the railroads to operate on?

FEDERAL INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION

By Peter Radford.

The recent investigation of the United States Commission of Industrial Relations brought together the extremes of society and has given the public an opportunity to view the representatives of distinct classes, side by side, and to study their views in parallel columns.

Capital and labor have always been glaring at each other over gulfs of misunderstanding and if the Federal Industrial Commission attempts to bridge the chasm, it will render the public a distinct service.

The farmer has been sitting on the fence watching capital and labor fight for many years and incidentally furnishing the sinews of war and it is quite gratifying to find them talking with, instead of about, each other. When honest men smile and look into each other's souls, it always makes the world better and far more satisfactory to the farmer, who in the end, bears the burden of conflict, than resolutions, speeches or pamphlets containing charges and counter-charges.

The love for justice makes the whole world kin. Understanding is an arbiter far more powerful than the mandates of government, for there is no authority quite so commanding as an honest conscience; there is no decree quite so binding as that of the Supreme Court of Common Sense and no sheriff can keep the peace quite so perfect as Understanding.

We suppose the time will never come when capital and labor will not be occasionally blinded by the lightning flashes of avarice or frightened by the thunder peals of discontent. But Understanding is a Prince of Peace that ever holds out the olive branch to men who want to do right. A man's income is always a sacred thing for in it are the hope, ambition and opportunity of himself, and family, but there is nothing in a human heart quite so divine as Justice and Understanding is its handmaiden.

TINTED POLITICS

By Peter Radford.

This country is suffering more from tainted politics than from any other malady at the present time. There is scarcely a campaign speech made, a platform demand written or a measure enacted into law that does not carry the taint of personal gain of some politician or political faction thereof.

There is more "blue sky" in campaign promises of many politicians running for office than was ever contained in the prospectuses of the boldest promoters of chimerical business schemes. There are more secret combinations formed by politicians in the name of "My Country" than were ever formed under any and all other aliases. There are more political rebates hidden in the phrase "Be it enacted" than were ever concealed under any and all other disguises.

The inordinate thirst for political power and unrestrained passion for mastery has caused more distress in this nation than the greed for gold, and it ought to be regulated by law.

No business combination ever pursued their competitors as relentlessly or visited more heartless cruelty upon their customers than a political party that seeks to make junk of an industry, or cripple a business for party success, through tariff measures, political supervision and oftentimes destructive legislation. Many political platforms are as alluring to the voter as the story of the rainbow with its pot of gold and their consummation about as far-fetched. Self-gain is the first law in politics. There are many men in office today who, if they could not shake plums off the tree of American liberty or cut a melon taken from Uncle Sam's commissary, would have less desire to serve the public.

The country is surfeited with patriots, who will bare their breast to bullets in defense of their country, but there are few men in public life who will bare their breast to voters or run the gauntlet of party disfavor in defense of agriculture or industry. No representative of the people, who will permit personal prejudice to dethrone justice, party success to disfranchise reason or the rancor of a political campaign to influence judgment can render capable service.

The preservation of our prosperity depends upon wisdom, courage and honesty in government, and the American voter should seek these attributes as implicitly as the Wise Men followed the Star of Bethlehem and they will often be found to rest over the stable; the plow or the staff of the Shepherd. The surest cure for

tainted politics and machine rule is fresh air and sunshine and these important elements are most abundant upon the farm, and when farmers, bankers and merchants are elected to membership in legislative bodies, much of the trouble in government will disappear.

WATERED SECURITIES

By Peter Radford.

Much has been said and more written about the evils of watered stock in big business concerns and the farmers of this nation believe that every dollar written into the life of any business organization, should be able to say "I know that my Redeemer liveth," but farming is the biggest business on earth, and there is more water in its financial transaction than that of any other industry. There is as much water in a farmer's note drawing eight or ten per cent interest when other lines of industry secure money for four or five per cent per annum, as there is in a business paying a reasonable compensation upon the face value of securities representing an investment of only fifty cents on the dollar. The only difference is, the water is in the interest rates in one instance and in the securities in the other.

The promoter oftentimes takes chances and his success is contingent upon the development of the property involved but the usurer, as a rule, takes no chances and his success cripples the property involved. There may be industries that cry louder but none that suffer more severely from financial immorality in both law and custom than that of agriculture.

The farmers of America today are paying \$200,000,000 per annum in usury on real estate and chattel loans, and this interest capitalized at five per cent, represents \$4,000,000,000 of fictitious values which the farmer is paying interest on. This sum of money is almost equal to the annual value of crops produced in the United States.

The earning power of the farmer's note based upon his interest rate very nearly divides like the earth's surface—three-fourths water and one-fourth land. The largest body of water that floats upon the financial hemisphere now rests upon the farms and its waves are dashing and its billows are rolling against seven million homes threatening ruin and disaster to the prosperity of the nation. Will our public servants who understand how to drain the liquid off industrial properties turn the faucet and let the water off the farms?

It is an admitted economic fact that there can be no permanent prosperity without a permanent agriculture.

Agriculture is recognized as the greatest of all industries and a prosperous, progressive and enlightened agricultural population is the surest safeguard of civilization.

Watch Your Children.

Often children do not let parents know they are constipated. They fear something distasteful. They will like Rexall Orlonies—a mild laxative that tastes like sugar. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

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KNOW THY COUNTRY

I—Introductory

"Know America" is a slogan that should ring out from every school room, office, farm and shop in this nation. No man can aspire to a higher honor than to become a capable citizen, and no one can merit so distinguished a title until he is well informed of the resources, possibilities and achievements of our country.

This is a commercial age and civilization is bearing its most golden fruit in America. We are noted for our industrial achievements as Egypt was noted for her pyramids; Jerusalem for her religion; Greece for her art; Phoenicia for her fleets; Chaldea for her astronomy and Rome for her laws. Likewise we have men who will go down in the world's history as powerful products of their age. For, standing at the source of every gigantic movement that sways civilization is a great man. The greatest minds travel in the greatest direction and the commercial geniuses of this age would have been the sculptors, poets, philosophers, architects, and artists of earlier civilizations.

As Michael Angelo took a rock and with a chisel hewed it into the image of an angel that ever beckons mankind upward and onward, Hill took the desert of the Northwest and with bands of steel made it blossom like a rose, dotted the valleys with happy homes and built cities in waste places.

Through the courtesy of the Agricultural and Commercial Press Service, the readers of this paper will be permitted to study America; her agricultural, manufacturing and mineral development, mercantile, banking and transportation systems which are the wonder of the world. The first article of the series will deal with transportation and will appear at an early date.

a bar of iron and bent it into a reaper and with one sweep of his magic mind broke the shackles that enslaved labor of generations yet unborn, and gave mankind freedom from drudgery, and lifted the human race into a higher zone of life.

As Nelson organized the English navy and made England mistress of the sea, enabling the British Isles to plant her flag upon every continent washed by the ocean's waves, and to make footstools of the Islands of every water, Morgan organized a banking system that has made America master of the world's finances, brought Kings to our cashier's windows, the nations of the earth to our discount desks and placed under the industries of this nation a financial system as solid as the Rock of Gibraltar.

There is no study quite so interesting as progress; no sound so magic as the roar of industry and no sight so inspiring as civilization in action. A full realization of America's part in the great events of the world past, present and future will thrill every human heart with pride, patriotism and faith in Republican institutions.

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COULD SCARCELY WALK ABOUT

And For Three Summers Mrs. Vincent Was Unable to Attend to Any of Her Housework.

Pleasant Hill, N. C.—"I suffered for three summers," writes Mrs. Walter Vincent, of this town, "and the third and last time, was my worst.

I had dreadful nervous headaches and prostration, and was scarcely able to walk about. Could not do any of my housework.

I also had dreadful pains in my back and sides and when one of those weak, sinking spells would come on me, I would have to give up and lie down, until it wore off.

I was certainly in a dreadful state of health, when I finally decided to try Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I firmly

believe I would have died if I hadn't taken it.

After I began taking Cardui I was greatly helped, and all three bottles relieved me entirely.

I fattened up, and grew so much stronger in three months, I felt like another person altogether.

Cardui is purely vegetable and gentle-acting. Its ingredients have a mild, tonic effect, on the womanly constitution.

Cardui makes for increased strength, improves the appetite, tones up the nervous system, and helps to make pale, swallow cheeks, fresh and rosy.

Cardui has helped more than a million weak women, during the past 50 years. It will surely do for you, what it has done for them. Try Cardui today.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper. J-65

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This has a world of meaning to every woman who suffers as Mrs. J. S. Blair, of Enterprise, Okla., suffered and there are many thousands such.

Mrs. Blair tells the story of her suffering and cure much better than we can tell it. We quote her own words:

"I had been flooding, cramping and vomiting for five months and taking medicine as good a doctor as the country affords, but he did me no good. I got tired of doctor's medicine and sent to the drug store for a woman's medicine and the druggist sent me STELLA-VITAE.

"One bottle stopped everything and I felt like a different woman. I have used six bottles already and will continue to use and praise STELLA-VITAE whenever I need a woman's medicine."

What STELLA-VITAE did for Mrs. Blair it will do for you. We guarantee the first bottle to benefit you. Your money back if it don't. You cannot afford to not try it—when you have all to gain and not a penny to lose.

Go to your dealer today and begin trying STELLA-VITAE, trying to become well. We lose the price if you are not benefited. In many years of guaranteeing STELLA-VITAE less than one bottle out of every thousand has failed to benefit.

Your chances of being benefited are a thousand to one!

**Thacher Medicine Co.,
CHATTANOOGA, TENN.**

John R. Winlock, of Warren county, lost two head of horses and seven mules struck by lightning.

Restored to Good Health.

"I was sick for four years with stomach trouble," writes Mrs. Otto Gans, Zanesville, Ohio. "I lost weight and felt so weak that I almost gave up hope of being cured. A friend told me about Chamberlain's Tablets, and since using two bottles of them I have been a well woman." Sold by Paull Drug Co. Ad.

Big Snake a Suicide.

Two cats and thousands of red ants caused a diamond rattler to commit suicide in order to escape his tormentors on a homestead near Silver Lake, Ore. The same battle demonstrated that a cat is quicker than a reptile, and also that the feline species takes no risk when tormenting a poisonous snake. The bite of the red ant, as severe as that of the honey bee, but less poisonous, completely unnerved the buzz-tail reptile.

The rattler, it appears, was flushed in the sage brush by two cats owned by a homesteader. It started to zig-zag between the brush, but the cats pounced upon its singing tail. The angered snake turned quickly and struck but the cats were gone. Again the race started. Then one cat crouched ahead to attract attention and the other pounced on the tail. After many stops the frenzied snake started through the brush on high gear. The race led to an ant hill, and in its efforts to escape the snake tried to squeeze into the small holes used by the ants.

Thousands of ants instantly resented the intrusion and joined the attack of the feline forces. The little insects swarmed over the buzzing, hissing intruder.

They crept into its mouth, fastened themselves to its eyes and covered its head. The rattler struck blindly in all directions, beating the sagebrush, the ground, anything in its path. It turned belly upward, and then tried to bore its head into the earth. The ants held fast. Finally in desperation the snake sank its fangs into its own body and clung in that position until the tail ceased buzzing.

An Easy Pleasant Laxative

One or two Dr. King's New Life Pills with a tumbler of water at night. No bad, nauseating taste; no belching gas. Go right to bed. Wake up in the morning, enjoy a free, easy bowel movement, and feel fine all day. Dr. King's New Life Pills are sold by all Druggist, 36 in an original package, for 25c. Get a bottle to-day—enjoy this easy, pleasant laxative. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Ad

Speakers Campaign Against Illiteracy.

The Kentucky Illiteracy Commission announces the Speakers Campaign Against Illiteracy as covering the months of July, August and September. One hundred and twenty of Kentucky's greatest orators, led by the Governor of Kentucky, will invade every county to spur up the forces in the fight to wipe out illiteracy. Each county will have a campaign of its local speakers in each district, preliminary to the final rally. During three months each and every school district in Kentucky will be campaigned. This is the first campaign, educational or otherwise, to be extended to each district in the State.

A Cough Remedy That Relieves

It's prepared from the healing Pine Balsam, Tar and Honey—all mixed in a pleasant, soothing Cough Syrup called Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey. Thousands have been benefitted by its need of your enduring that annoying Cough or risking a dangerous Cold. Go to your dealer, ask for a 25c original bottle Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey, start using at once and get rid of your Cough and Cold. For sale by Paull Drug Co. Ad

Father of Thirty-one.

Anastasio Chelotti, a news-vendor of Savonia, recently celebrated the birth of his thirty-first child, on whom he bestowed the name of Candido.

At the christening he said:

"21 years of age I married a girl of 19, who made me an annual present of a boy baby for 19 years running. Then she died.

"Before I was out of my fortieth year I married again, and my second wife added another dozen to the family.

"I have 19 sons living, all healthy and strong. The twentieth fell fighting in the Libyan desert with the words 'Viva Savonia!' on his lips. Eight of my boys are married and have married children of their own."—Milan Cor, London Chronicle.

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PHONE NO. 75

JEFF PARSON,
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More than 100 carloads of strawberries were shipped from Bowling Green within the last week.

The bodies of officers and men were found in the submarine F-4 when divers entered the forward part Friday.

You Can Enjoy Life

Eat what you want and not be troubled with indigestion if you will take a

Rexall Dyspepsia Tablet

before and after each meal. Sold only by us—25c a box.

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Miss Mable Fryer, daughter of Judge Fryer, of Harrison county, was struck by a train and badly injured.

Do Not Grip

We have a pleasant laxative that will do just what you want it to do.

Rexall Orderlies

We sell thousands of them and we have never seen a better remedy for the bowels. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

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Land Owners Attention.

T. C. Faulkner, is prepared to do your Surveying correctly. He has thirty-three years experience. Charges reasonable. Phone 74 or write

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Pistulio, Poll-evil, Spavin or any surgical work done at fair prices. I am well fixed to take care of stock. More, due when work is done or stock removed from stables.

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Gradyville.

We were all glad to see the sunshine once more.

Dr. U. L. Taylor, of Columbia, was in this section last week.

C. M. Hindman lost a very valuable combined mare last Sunday.

Misses Florence and Nora Sherrill spent a few days with relatives, in the Nell community, last week.

Messrs. G. T. Flowers, G. E. Nell and Dr. S. Simpson are in Louisville this week.

Chapman Browning, of Milltown, spent one day last week with uncle Charlie Yates.

Porter England and L. Fielders have the finest horse colts in this section beyond any question.

Joel Rodgers spent one day in Greensburg last week.

Wilmore & Grady are prizing their tobacco this week. They have something over ten thousand pounds. It is as fine quality of burly as ever was grown in this section.

L. C. Hindman and wife, of Columbia, were visiting their relatives in our city last Wednesday.

Gaither Bryant, of Petis Fork section, spent a day or so of last week, with his daughter, Mrs. E. R. Baker. He is enjoying the best of health and gets around as well as he did twenty years ago, and if anything, as he grows old, he grows stronger in the Democratic faith. He is strictly for A. O. Stanley for our next Governor.

The Adair County Spoke Co., that has been running here for the past twelve months, closed out their stock last Saturday. They will at once move their machinery to Columbia where they have a large amount of timber on the yard and as we understand, it will take them the remainder of the year there. We are all sorry to see their factory leave as it has been a great help to us all. We never had dealings with any better people than those that connected with this business. Straight, honest, nice men, every one that is connected with it in any way.

Rockcastle County.

Mt. Vernon, June 2, 1915.

Editor News:

A little over two years ago Mt. Vernon organized a commercial club and through the leadership of Jas. Maret, its secretary, began to advocate the building of a macadamized road from Crab Orchard, Ky., to Cumberland Gap to be known as Boone way—getting its name from the famous pioneer, who blazed the way in the early history of Ky.

Things did not seem very encouraging for some time as the Federal Government failed to make an appropriation to assist in building it, though the Government had it surveyed. But when the Bosworth good road law was enacted the club became more active and through its ef-

fort all the counties between Crab Orchard and Cumberland Gap decided to vote on bond issues, not only to build Boone way, but other roads as well, and as a result not one of the counties of five, including Whitley, a little off the line, failed to carry a bond issue ranging from \$100,000 to \$250,000, the majorities running as high as almost 10 to 1 in favor of Bond issues.

As a result since then the Boone way has been routed not only to Crab Orchard, Ky., from Cumberland Gap, but to Louisville, passing through Central Ky. Some of the towns, as well as the city of Lexington making strong efforts to have it come their way.

Also as a result of these elections, South Eastern Ky., became very much encouraged over its prospects for the Dixie Highway and with the help of Cincinnati, Lexington, Knoxville, Tenn., and other points one loop of the Dixie Highway goes through South Eastern Kentucky making junction with Boone way at Mt. Vernon, Ky., both running as one road to Cumberland Gap. These roads will be completed before long as the money is assured.

Why was the Dixie Highway routed this way? Because the road was guaranteed to be built soon.

So the way to build a Short Dixie Highway, which would likely get more travel than either of the other Routes, is simply to get busy like these mountain counties did and vote Bond issues. That in my judgment, is the only way to build roads.

Adair is without a railroad and from all indications will not have any soon. So, why not have better roads. Something that will benefit every body and make the county a better one in every respect. Take advantage of the opportunity while it is yours. I long to see old Adair rise to greater heights than she has ever attained.

Yours
P. H. Conover.

WAR SITUATION.

Official announcement was made in London that a British submarine had torpedoed a large German transport in the sea of Marmora. This submarine is said to be one of several which have made their way through the Dardanelles and are now operating in the sea of Marmora.

An exploit of two Italian torpedo boats in penetrating the Gulf of Trieste, is described in a dispatch from Geneva. The torpedo boats are said to have sunk two merchant vessels and damaged an Austrian cruiser.

Further violent infantry fighting occurred in the contested region near Lorette. The French War Office states that no advantage was won by either side in this engagement. Except for slight progress for the Allies in the maze of trench works named "The Labyrinth," the situation along the Western front is unchanged.

The little republic of San Marino, with an area of twenty-two square miles, which is surrounded by Italian territory, has approved Italy's attitude toward Austria and declared itself to be in a state of war. The chief importance of this decision lies in the fact that it will deprive Austria of the opportunity which might otherwise have existed of using San Marino as a place of refuge for its aeroplanes during attacks on Italy.

Przemysl has been reclaimed by Austria. Official announcement was made at Vienna that the great Galician fortress, won by the Russians ten weeks ago after a long struggle had been recaptured.

With Przemysl in their hands, the Austrians and Germans have concluded the first phase of their new Galician campaign which was launched in the drive from Cracow. While the fall of Przemysl has not been conceded at Petrograd, so far as cable advices show, the latest official statement from the Russian War Office admitted that the besiegers of the fortress had won some successes, including the capture of two outlying forts to the North.

Dispatches from the Austrian front to Vienna indicate that the attacking forces relied largely on their heavy guns, which they have used effectively all through their advance across Galicia. These dispatches say the Russians had removed men and supplies from Przemysl, in anticipation of its fall, and that they considered it not improbable they would lose Lemburg as well.

Rumania and Russia apparently have been unable to compose their differences concerning an adjustment of the Rumanian boundary lines. Rumania's entrance in the war is said unofficially to be conditioned on such an agreement. A Milan dispatch states that King Victor Emmanuel has offered his services as intermediary between these nations.

Italy reports of steady progress in the invasion of Austria are disputed at Vienna. The Austrian War Office announces that Italian offensive operations have been done by the Italian artillery.

Hatcher.

Mr. Sam Johnson, who has been in a critical condition for a number of days, was operated upon Wednesday for appendicitis. It was rather an aggravated case, but the operation was successful and if other complications do not occur, he will probably be himself soon. He is one of our best citizens and all pray for his recovery.

In the May examination for teachers' certificates, there were issued four first class; thirteen second class and eight failures. This is not a very creditable record. Our teaching material does not seem to indicate much interest in education. The average Mr. Trustee doesn't care who teaches his children or his neighbor.

bor's children. Kinship or friendship plays a very important part in the selection of a teacher.

There were twenty-three applicants for common school diploma. Eighteen passed the examination.

The indications are very flattering for three good schools in Campbellsville the next term. Campbellsville and the surrounding territory have the material for all of the schools. The B. C. I. had ten graduate this year. The R. C. B. A. had one. Our High school will have a few next year.

R. H. Turner sold his roadster automobile to G. F. Abner. He has owned two cars and says it cost him 50c per mile to run his touring car and about 28c for the roadster. For an investment, you need not to expect to become wealthier, but a surplus is needed to keep a car on the road.

There will be a normal crop of tobacco set. While a great many beds were a failure, others were extra good.

It seems it would be wisdom upon the part of farmers to produce more food stuff. It would allow them more time to improve their time. Ignorance and tobacco lingers in the same community. Children are kept from school on account of work in tobacco fields.

Decoration exercises were observed at Liberty, last Sunday.

The Modern Woodmen held very impressive exercises at the grave of a deceased neighbor. They were all day services and proved that the dead are not forgotten.

Children's Day will be observed the third Sunday.

It is reported that there are 71 automobiles in our county.

The indications are that we make about 60 per cent of a wheat crop. Meadows are good and the farmers have more room for encouragement than the past three years.

HEALTH OFFICER'S COLUMN.

BY U. L. TAYLOR.

(Continued from last issue.)

In the decade of 1900 to 1910, Adair county gained in population 1605, and the registrars report show that in the last four years she gained 980 more, making a total gain of 2,585. In no other county in all the regions round about has the gain been so much. It cannot be accounted for by the fact of people coming into the county on account of schools, for the 14 years embraced in this paper many more people left the county for homes in the great West than come into it for all purposes. Adair is the only county in a radius of 65 miles that has had an all time health officer at work. And while the fiscal court of the county never will pay a reasonable compensation, as the law says they shall do, the health officer has been going ahead with his work, in spite of lack of reasonable pay. Casey, about the size of Adair, and with a population several hundred larger than Adair, and paying her health officer \$150 a year, during the last decade ending with 1910, gained in population only 345. Taylor, during the last decade, paid her health officer nothing, and gained in population only 50. Marion county pays her health officer \$250 a year and gained in population 151. Bracken county pays her health officer \$100 a year, and during the last decade lost in population 1,829. Bourbon county, the richest county in the State, pays her health officer \$300 a

year, and lost in population 607. Hart county pays her health officer no salary at all, and lost in population 217. Logan county pays her health officer \$250 a year, and has a population of 25,000, and lost in population 1017. Grant county pays her health officer \$150 a year, and lost in population 2,658. Livingston county pays her health officer \$250 a year, and lost in population 727. Bath county pays her health officer \$200 a year, and lost in population 746. Bath is a small, but rich county, paying in State and county taxes 96,000 dollars. Lewis county pays her health officer \$150, and lost in population 981. Scott county pays her health officer \$320 a year, and lost in population 1,120. Carlisle county pays her health officer \$150 a year, and lost in population 1,057. Carroll county pays her health officer \$100 a year and lost in population 1,700. Hancock pays her health officer \$100 a year, and lost in population 402. Henderson county pays her health officer \$200 a year, and lost in population 2,555. But enough. I could go on with the whole 43 counties in which the population was decreased, but think I have said enough. The same result follows all of them. Now what is the remedy? Pay the health officer a sufficient salary as the law requires, so that he can devote his whole time to the duties of the office, without having to supplement it by his regular practice. He ought to have as much as any county officer. I have never heard of the fiscal court refusing to these other county officers a reasonable compensation. The health officer is as much benefit to the county, as the county attorney, the county judge, or the superintendent of schools. It requires as much learning to be health officer, as any of these other officers. The responsibilities are surely as great. The health officer of this county has to look after the health of 17,000 people, and the records show that it has been well done in this county, by the continual decrease in the death rate of the county. Taking the death of the State 15 per thousand, and the death rate of the county 12 per thousand, will show a saving of 51 lives by the work of the health officer. We do not know who those 51 persons are who have been saved from death, but we know it is somebody. It may be some member of the families of the fiscal court. It may be some of the members of the families of some of the county officers, or some of the families of the officers of the State. But the records do show a saving of that many annually for quite a number of years. On the 6th of May I went to Campbellsville to attend the Green River Medical Society composed of the counties of Adair, Green, Marion and Taylor. I met all the health officers of the district, and found them to be men of learning and ability as physicians. They like me were complaining of the fiscal courts of their counties, and how sadly the State needed some law that would compel their counties to pay their health officers a reasonable compensation, so that they could devote their whole time to the promotion of the public health.

"But the immortal gods have not decreed."

On the first day of our late circuit court, I heard four legislative candidates make their public announcements, and tell what they had done in the legislature, (for they had all been there before.) Each one of them had done the best things possible for the people, and proposed if elected, to do many things to relieve the great common people of the burdens of taxation. Since these men were there, the pay of the members has been doubled, but not one of these men proposed to relieve the great common people by giving back to the treasury one-half of his pay. If all the members of the legislature would do this as well as all other State officers, it would help the treasury very much indeed. You will notice in this list of counties given in this paper, are nearly all railroad counties, and are streaked through and through with turnpike roads, and the decrease in population cannot be attributed to lack of these convenient articles.

Miss Mary Miller, who has been attending Western Normal, Bowling Green, has stood the examination, receiving a State life certificate. She is the first Adair county teacher who has received a life certificate from this institution. Miss Susan Miller, who attended the same school, was awarded a two year State certificate. Dr. O. P. Miller has passed the examination, this being his third year in the University of Louisville. These are children of Dr. and Mrs. S. P. Miller, this city, and they will return home Saturday.